happened.
Judge Layman of Benton and J. W. Hartwell are assisting State's Attorney Hartwell in prosecuting, and Judge W. W. Duncan, E. E. Dennison and J. L. Galiemore
represent the defendant.

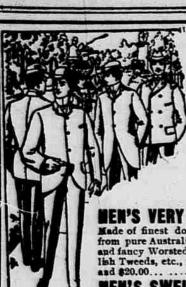
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REPUBLIC SPECIAL





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BULLS SOLD CORN AND

THE PRICES DECLINED.

RAINS IN SOUTHWEST SENT WHEAT 34c LOWER.

Oats Showed Sympathy With Corn -Provisions Opened Active and Higher, but Weakened.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Chicago, Ill., May 16.-Wheat was off shout %c. Good selling by locals on rains in the Southwest. There was good buying of May options by elevators.

Corn was lower on heavy selling by bulls Trade was rather small and of local char-Oats were lower, partly in sympathy with

corn, and by large houses liquidating.

Provisions were active early, with small advance, part of which was lost later. Wheat.

Losses of MCMc were suffered. May was up as high as 72%c at one time, with July at %c discount. They closed at 71% and 71%@ 714c respectively. There was an improve inquiry for cash, but the offerings were quite moderate, and sales aggregated about 225,000 bu. The seaboard reported 8 boat-

loads taken for export.

The market was generally dull, with me ments of active trading at times. The bountiful precipitations in the Southwest and the break-up of the drought in that section caused free liquidation of long lines of July, and there was consderable "short"

It was one of those days when the mar-ket was without a leader, and was al-lowed to take care of itself. The professionals favored the bear side, and led the selling at odd times. The Southwest, which selling at odd times. The Southwest, which loaded up with wheat on the long-drawn drought, were the best outside sellers. There was an excellent demand for May and prices averaged higher. This was caused by the free outward movement of cash this week, the aggregate being 2,000,000 bu. in round numbers.

Duluth reported that 800,000 bu. was with-

was withat stocks there will show
of 1,500,000 bu. to 2,000,000 bu. for
week. Cables attracted but very little
attention. Liverpool was ¼d lower, to ¼d
higher for futures, and spot was unchanged
to ¼d lower. Five cargoes arrived off the
English Coast to-day, compared with 1 yesterday, and 6 were waiting at ports of call,
assinst 3 yesterday. Antwerp and Paris
were colsed. Northwestern receipts were 57
cars smaller than a year ago, and primary
markets got 5,000 bu, less than last year.
The Price Crrent, in its weekly summary,
says that dry weather in the Southwest has
caused moderate declines in the wheat
woman authority reports the
op outlook elsewhere as fine
luth were 32 cars
cars, a total caused moderate declines in the wheat probable and that general rains were needed. The same authority reports the winter crop outlook elsewhere as fine. Receipts at Duluth were 32 cars, and at Minneapolis 185 cars, a total of 198 cars and 255 cars last year. Local receipts were 49 cars, against 25 cars last year. Included in the above was 1 car of contract grade. Estimated receipts for to-morrow are 45 cars. The receipts at Western points were 315.294 bu. against 340-117 bu. last year. Shipments from Western



womanly suffering. Ignor-ance of the requirements of womanly health; ignorance on the part of those who

and ulceration and cures female weakness.

"When I first wrote to Doctor Pierce conservaing my health," mays Mrn. Mellie R. Carpenter, of I was so weak I could easly write a few words until I would have to rent; was so weak I could hardy walk. Words cannot express my sufferings diameter of deglet, palpitation, shortness of beath, back apods or else shining lights before my syes, terrible headache, numbuest in my arms and hands and tongue, also my laws would get numb; constipation, falling of the sterns, disagreeable drains, sorreness through my bowels; in fact I was diseased from head to foot. Now I can do my own washing and cooling. I can take a ten quart pail in one hand and a six quart pail in the other (full of water), and carry both one-fourth of a mile and never stop to rest. I am as heavy as I was at 19 years into possible. I may describe the resemble of "Pleasant Fellets."

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point were 917,015 bu. against 298,324 bu. same day last year. Exports of wheat and flour were 244,335 bu.

May opened at 71%@71%c and closed at 71%c. June closed about 71%c; July opened at 71%c to 71%c and closed at 71%c71%c. Corn.

Corn.

Corn was lower, May sharply so, losing \$\frac{3}{2}c\$ for the day and ranging between \$\frac{5}{2}c\$ and \$\frac{5}{2}c\$, and closing at \$\frac{5}{2}c\$. July lost \$\frac{5}{2}c\$. It opened at \$\frac{5}{2}c\$, which proved to be the best price of the day, sold down to \$\frac{4}{2}c\$, and closed at \$\frac{4}{2}c\$. Cash sales were \$60,000 bu. at Chicago, and 11 boat loads at seaboard. There wis a very fair business in July at the opening, but the remainder of the seasion was characterized by extreme duliness. May was dull, receiving the attention of

May was dull, receiving the attention of less than half a dozen people, yet it moved up and down in a violent manner. The principal "long" showed but very little interest in the market. The Price Current reported crop prospects as only fair.

Local receipts were 224 cars, with 45 cars contract. There were also 64 cars and 8,000 bu. out of private houses, making the total contract for the day about 115,000 bu. Liverpool was unchanged to 36d. higher for futures. Primary receipts were 414,000 bu. compared with 249,000 bu. a year ago. Clearances for the day, 475,000 bu.

Sept. opened at 44%c to 45c and the close

Sept. opened at 44%c to 45c and the close was at 44%G44%c. Oats active and unsettled. May started the higher, at the top price of yesterday, but broke like on increased seiling, and closed with a net loss of the July opened easier, advanced the first and finished Make lower. Sept. closed to lower. There was liberal buying and selling by the leading "built" in this, and good trading by commission-houses. The West and Southwest had good rains and promise of more. The Cincinnati Price Current says prospects are fair.

Cash sales were 129,000 bu. here at seaboard clearances were 229,000 bu. Arrivals were 14 cars, with 156 cars estimated for to-morrow.

to-morrow.

May opened at Mc, sold down to 300 and closed there. July was active, opening at 25½ 623½c, and closed at 25½ 6. Sept. opened at 25½ 625½c and closed at 25½25½c.

Only a few cars of barley appeared on sale and they were taken. Nothing much to say about the market. Not enough on sale to admit of any cash business to speak of. Demand and offerings both lacking. Posting showed 6 cars inspected in speak of, Demand and offerings both lack-ing. Posting showed 6 cars inspected in, it was something unusual to have more cars on sale than appeared in the inspec-tion; for sometime past it has usually been the other way. Screenings nominally 239 33½c for common to choice; low-grade barley 40@46c; common to fair 43@52c; good 52@50c; choice to fancy nominally above.

Range of	Futur	es	
_Articles, Opening.	Highest.	Lowest	Close
Wheat-May7146%	724	7114	7114
July 71%2%	71%0%	71	71404
Corn-May 58	58	5814	641/4
July 45845% Sept 445645	1076	4434	44,674
Outs-May 31	31	Sea Chairman	4435579
July 284	2464	281	2814
Mess Pork-May, 14.80	26%	26	36 6%
July 16.85	14.80	14.67%	14.70
Sept 14.7214	14.824	14.70	14 70
Lard-May 8.0214	8.031/2	7.97%	7.07%
July 7.95 Sept 7.97%	8.02%	102.25	7.971
Short Kibs-May, 8.0714	8.071	7.97%	7.97%
July 7.87%	7.924	7.85	7.85
Bept 7.52%	7.87%	7.50	7.8214
Receipts and	Ships	ments.	
Articles.	200	Rec.	Ship.
Flour, bbls		132 000	97 600
Wheat, bu		50,000	786,000

Flaxseed.

Only a small business in flax was done and little developed. Cash and May delivery remained steady. Prices were just the same as at the close resterday. Offerings were extremely light and demand not much better. There were il cars inspected in Minneapolis receipts were 10 cars and Duluth 4 cars. No. 1 cash sold at \$1.73½ and No. 1 Northwestern nominal at that figure; rejected, \$1.85½ May delivery quiet and unchanged, at \$1.72 and closed there; Sept. \$1.28 hid; Oct. sold at \$1.25½.

Timothy and Clover Seeds.

Interest in the timothy market now centers in the new-crop seed, there being no receipts of old to speak of, and demand for it is over also. Sept. opened at \$1.25, against \$1.39 paid and bid at the extreme close yesterday. Seed was about nominal. A few small lots of tailings to poor seed sold at \$2.63, and regular market quotable at \$2.63, and regular market quotable at \$2.60, and regular market quotable at \$2.60, and regular market approached to good; contract grade at \$1.50, \$2.50 for poor to fair; \$1.20, \$3.50 for fair to good; contract grade at \$1.50, \$2.50 for poor to fair; \$1.20, \$2.50 for poor to choice, \$6.90, down to \$3.64.50. Fair to good seed about \$1.50, \$6.50; contract grade nominal at \$3.50.

Provisions.

nominal at \$9.50.

Considerable interest was manifested in the market for hog products, and the feeling was decidedly stronger early, but ruled easier again toward the close. Of ferings were not very large, and quite a good miscellaneous demand prevailed, mainly credited to "shorts" and local operators.

## **BURGLAR MAY HAVE** KILLED THE WOMAN.

Circumstantial Support of New Theory of Defense in the

EVIDENCE OF AN EXPERT.

Stock Broker Mendham, Who Lived at the Reynolds Flat, Tells of His Quarrels With the Woman.

New York, May 16 .- Two persons, who have not before figured in the trial of Doctor Samuel J. Kennedy, charged with the murder of "Dolly" Reynolds in the Grand Hotel on August 16, 1898, were prominent at the trial to-day. Mrs. Reynolds, mourning. Maurice K. Mendham, a stock broker, whose name was first brought into the case to-day, was called to the stand by the State and identified "Dolly" Reynolds's

Dolly Reynolds's Next Best Friend. Mr. Moore, for the defense, asked Mendham if he were not known at Miss Reynknown. He testified he was in Long Branch the night Miss Reynolds was murdered. He returned to the Fifty-eighth street flat the next day to look for diamonds that had belonged to the young woman and some of which he had given her.

Charlotte Jacksonville Arianta Montgomery Vicksburg New Orleans Little Rock .... which he had given her.

He had introduced her to Doctor Kennedy two years before and had agreed in sub-

two years before and had agreed in substance to pay the dentists' bills for work on the young woman's teeth.

Mr. Moore angered Mr. Mendham by asking about a Miss Cousins, who had been found dead in her flat one morning. That was before "Dolly" Reynolds's death. The court ruled out the question, but that did not appease Mr. Mendham.

"I would like to cross-examine you." blurted out the witness, angrily, to Mr. Moore.

"No doubt," said Mr. Moore, dryly.

At the beginning of the session Coroner Jacob B. Hausch described the finding of Cairo.

Joseph G. Gregory, night clerk at the

Captain George W. McClusky related his examination of Doctor Kennedy the day of

Supporting Burglary Theory.

Doctor Phillip O'Hanlon, Coroner's physician, said there were two scalp wounds in the back of "Dolty" Reynolds's head and the lobe of the right ear was torn, as though the earring had been wrenched out Miss Reynolds died from suffocation, caused by a broken neck.

Mr. Moore brought out that, in Doctor O'Hanlon's opinion, a blow with a hard instrument on the head of a person standing erect would be likely to fracture the skull before breaking the neck, but if the person were reclining the blow would more easily fracture the vertebrae without fracturing the skull, and if the person were asleep it would still be more easy to break the neck.

Mr. Osborne took the witness, on redirect examination, to offset this admission, which supports the defense's theory that burglars sneaked in and struck the woman while she was sleeping on the couch, but Doctor O'Hanlon said it was his opinion that the woman was lying on the couch when she was struck. He said the head of the couch was toward the window, and there were stains on the couch.

"If she had been struck while lying on the couch," asked William Pruden, a juror, "could she have staggered into the middle of the room?"

"Yes," said Doctor O'Hanlon.

To Mr. Moore, Mr. Mendham said he knew Miss Reynolds four or five years. She lived at Fifty-eighth street and Ninth avenue. "Didn't you rent the house?" was asked. "I don't remember. I lived there." Mr. Mendham was disinctined to answer questions about his life there and fiatly declined to answer one until the court compelled him to answer.

him to answer.

Had Quarreled With Dolly.

"Did you have a quarrel with her the last few months you lived there?"

"No; no more than other people have."

"Don't you know that on the Sunday before the murder you had an altercation with her over the return of the jewels?"

"No."

"You sent a telegram from Long Branch, Tuesday, August 16, 1838, to Miss Reynolds?"

"No: from New York."

day."
"You were at the flat?"
"On Tuesday, the same day I sent the

telegram."
"You know she had been murdered?"
"Yes."
"Yes."
"Yes." "Part of your reason for going to the flat was to look for the diamonds?" "Yes; I thought she might have left them in the house."

Mr. Mendham said the jewels were not Mr. Mendham said the jewels were not blm.

ESCAPED HER ASSAILANT.

for Her Honor.

New York, May 16.-Edward Reynolds father of Dolly Reynolds, for whose murder Doctor Kennedy is on trial, listened, bowed

Confesses He Tried to Secure \$12.

St. Joseph, Mo., May 16.-Thomas Ashton, a wealthy stockman, living south of this city, received several letters threatening himself, his home and family with destruc-tion unless he deposited \$12,000 in gold at a designated spot.

designated spot.

Detectives watched a decoy placed at the spot and early this morning captured the letter-writer, who proved to be Wm. Pflaum, aged 23, a farmer, who confessed that he got the idea from Pat Crowe's alleged work in Omaha.

Testimony in Hadfield Murder

PEPUBLIC SPECIAL. Marion, Ill., May 16.—Several witnesses for the State in the Hadfield murder trial to-day testified to having seen the accuse

passengers to a political rally at Herrin. The defense began to examine witnesses into into the afternoon.

What the defense will be is problematical, but it is almost certain that an effort will be made to locate the crime in Jackson County. The train was moving at the time and was near the county line, but owing to confusion and excitement it will be a difficult matter to tell to a certainty where it happened.

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We Guarantee Every Plano for 10 Years.

We are thankful to those who placed orders with us yesterday, yet regret that it was necessary to allow some to leave our store without being able to wait upon them.

Store was crowded all day, and in spite of the best of service some orders could not be attended to. There are still over one hundred fine Uprights left and also some very fine Grands and Squares. If You Are Contemplating the Purchase of a Piano Don't Let This Golden Opportunity Escape You.

BOLLMAN'S Mammoth CLEARANCE SALE OF PIANOS! Special

BARGAINS, BARGAINS, BARGAINS, IN UPRIGHTS, SQUARES AND GRANDS.

EASY MONTHLY PAYMENTS.

It's all the same what you want to pay for a plano—we can supply the demand. To accommodate the public we keep our store open every evening up to 9 o'clock. SALE, however, will last only one week, and it would be advisable to call early so as to secure a better selection—store was crowded yesterday, and the stock, although large, can hardly last the week, judging from the sales made the first day. We quote a few of the special bargains offered to-day:

THREE SPECIAL BARGAINS

Local Report. In the World-Renowned Gabler Planes. The very name of Gabler on a piano is a guarantee as to its reliability. A ten-year guarantee with either of the above.

2d—A large size, full 7 1-8 octave. An excellent pi-ano \$180.00 2d—A medium size, known as parlor grand upright...\$155 Department of Agriculture, Weather Buresu-Meteorological observations received at St. Louis May 18, 1904, at 6:50 p. m. local time and 8 p. m. seventy-fith meridian time. Observations taken at the same moment of time at all sta-

26-Same thing, exactly as above, only in fine mahogany

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In offering the following-mentioned instruments at the exceedingly low prices marked opposite each style, no one contemplating the purchase of a reliable, first-class upright should for a moment fail to examine these beautiful instruments. The reason for placing them in this sale has been occasioned by changes of the style of case in the new catalogue. We have sold the "SMITH & BARNES" planos for a great many years, and thousands of satisfied purchasets is the highest testimonial as to their real worth. We will describe one of these instruments, and the only difference is whether you want it in oak, mahogany or walnut.

1st-Their very handsomest style, in handsome carved walnut case. New, price \$250.00; cut to.......\$225.00

Store Open Every Evening Until 9 O'Clock.

SUGGESTIONS FOR TABLE AND KITCHEN.

A noted lover of good living so highly valued the skill of the cook in the prepara-tion of his sauces he deemed him worthy of knighthood, and expressed his approval in

"An exquisite and poignant sauce, For which I'll say unto my cook, There's

For which I'il say unto my cook, There's gold,
Go forth and be a knight."

While Americans are cosmopolitan in their sauces, and have, from the abundant supplies of nature, originated many dainty and delicious which are unknown abroad, they have derived the original idea of most of their finest sauces from the French. But what few American cooks understand is that the French, who excel in variety of exquisite sauces, have really but two original sauces for meats and vegetables. With these foundation sauces, they use skill, cultivated taste and originality in playing the many variations with these two keys.

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The espagnole, or brown sauce, and the white sauces are, as the French express it, the "mother of sauces."

Mushroom, wainut or tomato catsup, a few chopped oysters, lemon juice, paprita, chopped gherkins, pickled wainuts or green peppers go nicely in a sauce to accompany beef or veal. Pickled walnuts are also considered suitable for brown sauce for pork chops, and boiled mutton needs the piquancy of caper sauce. Horseradish, cucumber and onion sauces are three favorite meat sauces, either hot or coid.

Do not use a straight bread flour for sauces. Have the butter bubbling hot when the flour goes in, but not colored, unless you are making a brown sauce. Cook both well together before adding the milk. This prevents the sauce from having a raw, pasty taste.

It is necessary to stir all sauces continually while they are cooking until they begin to thicken and the starch is sufficiently cooked to remain in suspension and not fall to the bottom of the saucepan.

Do not wet the flour before stirring it into the liquid, or it will not combine with the butter, which will float on the top. Add the salt when the sauce begins to thicken Do not be extravagant in the use of seasonings or let any one seasoning or flavoring predominate. If a hot sauce cannot be served as soon as made, cover closely and keep warm over hot, but not boiling, water.

When vinegar is added to a boiled dressing, heat the butter or fat with the vinegar. Pour in gradually, beating rapidly, and continue to beat if it shows signs of curdling, until it is smooth. Do not beat or strain a flour sauce if you can avoid it as it makes it masks.

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on inappreciable, R. J. HYATT, Local Forecast Official.

CONGRESS OF MOTHERS.

Illinois Women Discuss Problems

of Interest to Them.

Charleston, Ill., May 16.-The second an-

Mothers began here to-day and will con-

Pay of Presidential Postmasters.

Alleged Illegal Fishing.

Fort Smith Ploneer Dies.

Seele-Glick.

St. Charles, Mo., May 16.—Mr., Richard C. Seele and Miss Elizabeth Glick, both of O'Fallon, Mo., were married here to-day by Justice of the Peace Fritz Knoop.

Always

Tired

Of course you are. Tired

when you go to bed, tired

when you get up, tired all the

Your doctor calls it nerve

exhaustion, general debility.

He recommends a nerve-

Ask him what he thinks of

Ayer's Sarsaparilla for this. We are willing to leave the

question with him. He knows

all about our Sarsaparilla and

For half-sick and half-well

lifter, a general tonic.

what it will do.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL

nual meeting of the Illinois Congress of

times until Saturday noon. Several hundred delegates have already arrived. The Board of Control was in session this afternoon and will report to-morrow morning.

The address of welcome to-night was made by President Lord of the Eastern State Normal, and the response by Mrs. Boger B. Normal, and the response by Mrs. Roger B. McMullen, president Illinois Congress of The address of the evening was by Wilbur S. Jackman of the Chicago Institute. Subject: "How Parents May Interest Children in Nature Study." A discussion followed, led by Mrs. Marian Foster Wash-

vinegar or acid, chill it thoroughly and then beat it smooth.

Pisia White Sauce.

Measure all your materials before you begin cooking. Put two level teaspoonfuls of butter or oil in a saucepan; measure two level tablespoonfuls of sitted flour, use patent or pastry, and one cup of warm, but not boiling, white stock or broth; water can be used if the sauce is for vegetables; but broth is best, as the former makes a rather pasty sauce. Melt the butter, and let it get bubbling hot, but not the least colored. Add the flour, and then stir rapidly while it cooks a few minutes. Then add the broth and stir constantly, but not rapidly, until it begins to thicken. Add half a teaspoonful of salt and two dashes, six shakes of white pepper. Let it boil up for a few minutes, and it is ready to serve.

For a cream sauce, use milk instead of broth, or half a cup of cream and half a cup of broth or stock, and proceed in same way as with white sauce.

Brown Sauce.

SPECIMEN MENUS.

Wednesday.

Broiled Lamb's Liver, German Fried Potatoes, Coffee,

Cream of Tomato Soup,
Macaroni Croquettes, Cheese Sauce,
Jellied Ham, Mayonnaise,
Strawberry Pancakes, Coffee

Jewelry Was Not Stolen.

Graduated at Pana School. Graduated at Pana School.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Pana, Ill., May 16.—The sixteenth annual commencement of the public schools was held at the new Grand Oprea-house to-night. The graduating class was the smallest in the history of the schools, namely, Richard P. Vickerage, Louise Wagener and Lottle Tailon.

Lincoln County's Apple Crop.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Eisberry, Mo., May 16.—Indications are that the apple crop in this county will be the heaviest for years. The trees are heavily laden and fruit-growers are highly pleased with their prospects.

Choicest Farm (Melted) Butter

Is not equal to

ESSON VEGETABLE · ODORLESS **COOKING OIL** 

Because Wesson Cooking Oil is richer, has better cooking qualities. is more conveniently handled and costs much less.

Mr. Aug. Hiltenbrand, Proprietor of the Pilgrim Cafe, has the following to say of Wesson Cooking Oil:

This oil is especially good for apple, orange, banana, cream or queen fritters. Gives them a fine, rich color, goes twice as far as an equal amount of the very best lard. One of the most salient points is the entire absence of odor. With the adding of a little butter it is excellent for sautes of mest AUG. HILTENBRAND.

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nover have and nover will offer induring arti-cies and their untiring offerts for years in the perfecting of healthful foods has earned them the significant title of Hasten-Harmes of Ganza-drays Foods. Every package of gaussine Granols bears a picture of the Battle Greek familiarium. Sold is all greeces. Reserve of instinctions.

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COUNTED ON FOUR VICTIMS.

Negro Wanted to Do Murder,

Then to Be Hanged.

Carlyle, Ill., May 16.-William Simmons,

negro, is in jail charged with attempting to

Last night he borrowed a shotgum and declared he intended to kill four persons,

after which, he said, he wanted to be

He fired a load of duck shot into the

shoulder of his wife. She is in a serious condition. Simmons then secreted himself in the African Methodist Church and deflect

arrest by displaying his shotgun. He was finally captured and placed in fail. If the woman dies, her friends declare, they will lynch her assallant.

Bonne Terre Teachers.

Bonne Terre Teachers.

Benne Terre, Mo., May 16.—The following teachers were to-day elected for the ensuing term of the public school here, with Professor S. N. Gray as superintendent: J. H. Gardiner, Grace Loughran, Mary Jenniags, Estelle Gray, Lillian Steel, Luiu Harris, Sadle Wilson, Alma Fletcher, Bertha Leeger, Emma Wolf and Emma Harrison, East Ward—J. R. Helms, principal; J. W. Edwards and Mary Varner.

Teachers for Nashville Schools.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Nashville, Ill., May 15.—The following teachers have been appointed by the Nashville School Board: Superintendent, Professor Albert G. Owen; principal, Professor Herbert Larsh; assistant principal, Professor Pratt. The remaining ten positions will be filled at the meeting of the school on next Tuesday evening.

Illinois Physicians Meet.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

murder his wife.

YOUTHFUL ELOPERS ESCAPE.

Police of Illinois Cities Unable to Dampen a Romance. REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Mattoon, Ill., May 16 .- Despite the most persistent inquiry, nothing has been heard of Bert Brading of Hume and Miss Mattle Plank of Metcalfe, who eloped early Monday morning.

The police in this city, Paris and Terre
Haute have been on the alert, but the
elopers have managed to elude apprehen-

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Miss Plank, who is only 15 years old, feared parental objection to the match. Her sweetheart is also under legal age. Young Brading secured a buggy and drove to the girl's home. She swung herself to the ground from her bedroom window and the couple drove away. Their absence was not discovered until morning, and the County Clerks in all the surrounding county seats were notified not to issue a license.

It is how believed that the elopers have fied to St. Louis, as Miss Plank has relatives in that city and they hope to have the ceremony performed there. Texas Supreme Court.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL Austin, Tex., May 16.—The following pro-ceedings were had in the Supreme Court to-

ceedings were had in the Supreme Court today;

Applications refused: L. C. Thompson vs. A.

Röe et al.; Parker Couny; A. E. Hernishel
vs. Texas Drug Company; Dailas County; M.

K. & T. Ry. O. vs. J. Wetterford, Hat
County; W. C. Belcher Land Mortgage Company
vs. W. S. Williamson et al., Tarrant County;
McLeunan County vs. John N. Graves et al.,
Eastland County; Western Union Telegraph
Company vs. Peter Thompson, next friend,
Bosque County; C. W. White et al. vs. Gapyron,
Fisher County; Western Union Telegraph Company vs. L. B. Downs, Walker County; Charles
McCarty vs. H. & T. C. R. R. Co., Waller
County; J. W. Bolin, administrator, vs. St.
Louis-Southwestern Railroad Company of Texas
et al., Bowis County; Ban T. Robb vs. H. L.
Robb, Trinity County; M. A. Hart et al. vs. J.
S. Clack, Taylor County; J. J. Segal vs. J. A.
Armistead, Marion County, G. W. Smith vs. J.
P. Gleghorn, Kaufman County,
Dimissed for want of jurisdiction: New Tork
and Texas Land Company, Limited, vs. E. R.
Daughterty, Sr., Atascosa County; B. T. McMahon et al. vs. City Bank of Sherman, Grayson County.
Granted: Texas and Pacific Railway Company
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Granted: Texas and Pacific Railway Company Mahon et al. vs. City Bank of Sherman, Grayson County.

Granted: Texas and Pacific Rallway Company
vs. Richmond & Taffany, Dallas County.

Reversed and remanded: Sarah Foson vs. City
of San Antonio, Beyar County.

Affirmed: H. & T. C. R. H. Co. vs. Cleveland
Rutherford, Navarro County.
Set for June 3: W. O. McFarland et al. vs.
Tum Owens, Fannin County.

Submitted: Dwight Skinner & Co. vs. Matthews Miller & Co., Runnells County.

Motion for rehearing submitted: Julio Mendotas vs. Atchison, Topeka and Banta Fe Railway Company, El Paso County.

High School Graduates.

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REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Vandalia, Ill., May 16.—The Vandalia High School closed to-day and the twenty-third annual commencement exercises were held at the opera-house this evening. The graduating class was composed of the Misses Helen Dieckmann, Blanche Sonnemann, Lovilla Ros, Ruth Clark, Lena Eckard, Beula Bingham and Messrs. Tol Sonnemann, and James Cox.

Hymen at Mattoon.

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REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Mattoon, Ill., May 16.—Claude L. James, a prominent civil engineer, and Miss Lillian May Harris, both of this city, were married last evening by the Reverend G. D. Kent.

Walter L. Wilner and Mrs. Mary Fugate were married last evening. The groom is a wealthy retired business man of this city. West-Mooney. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

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Salem, Ill., May 16.—Samuel G. West and
Miss Margaret Mooney of this city were
married at 8 o'clock to-night by the Reverened W. H. Nelson of the M. E. Church,
South. The bride has been a prominent and
successful teacher in the public schools hare for the past two years.

Manuscript Bible Sold for \$6,000. London, May 16.—A manuscript Bible, richly illuminated, of about the year 1410, was sold at auction here to-day for 1,200

CASTORIA for infants and Children. Bears the The Kind You Have Always Bought . Signature

Himois Physicians Meet.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Mattoon, Ill., May 18.—The annual meeting of the Aesculapian Medical Society of the Wabash Valley was held in this city to-day. Nearly a hundred visiting physicians were present and were banqueted this evening. The officers chosen were: Predent J. A. Baughman, Neuga; vice predent, F. D. Lydick, Paris; secretary and treasurer, H. McKennan, Paris. Nominated for Governor of Chio.

Akron, O., May 15.—E. J. Pinney of Cleveland was nominated for Governor by the Prohibition State Convention in session prominent farmer and veteran of the Civil War, is dead.

on the part of those who attempt to cure and fail, and ignorance of the fact that Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription cures womanly diseases. It establishes regularity, dries weakening drains, heals inflammation and ulceration and cures female melyness.

ly credited to "shorts" and local operators.

Hogs were in moderate supply, and prices
ruled higher. Receipts at the leading Western packing points were estimated at 75,800, compared with 82,000 one year ago, Returns of packing of West for the week exhibited an increase of 65,000 hogs, compared with the returns for the corresponding week in 1900. Foreign markets were
quiet and easy. Domestic markets were
quiet and steady.

Receipts of products were fair, as were
also shipments. Outside speculative orders
were somewhat larger. Local trading
rather active. Prices ruled higher on all
the leading articles, but recoded and closed
steady. Demand on shipping account was
somewhat improved and offerings were fair.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Pana, Ill., May it.—Joseph Roband and snd Miss Juda Josephine Walser were married to-day by the Reversed Father Weigand.

Kennedy Case.

Washington, May 16.—Forecast:

For Illinois—Fair in northern, showers and cooler in southern portion Friday. Saturday, fair, except showers in extreme southern portion; fresh southeasterly winds.

For lows—Fair Friday; warmer in western portion. Saturday, fair; southeasterly winds.

For Nebraska—Fair and warmer Friday. Saturday, generally fair, except showers and cooler in western portion; southerly winds.

For Kansas—Fair and warmer in western, showers in eastern portion Friday. Saturday, fair; warmer in castern portion; southeasterly winds.

For Arkensas and Missouri—Showers Friday and probably Saturday; warmer Saturday; cooler in eastern portion Friday, southeasterly winds, becoming variable.

For Oklahoma and Indian Territory—Showers Friday and probably Sunday; warmer; variable winds. REPUBLIC SPECIAL mother of the murdered girl, appeared in

olds's flat, at Fifty-eighth street and Ninth avenue, as Mr. Reynolds, to which Mr. Mendham replied he might have been so the night Miss Reynolds was murdered. He

Grand Hotel at the time of the murder, testified he saw the defendant go out of the otel that night. Frank E. Towle, Jr., described the desk at which Gregory worked, and said one standing at the desk could see all the corri-tor by a slight movement of the head. On Monday he had testified that a man at the desk could see only about six feet of the

Maurice Mendham testified in a very low voice. Asked where "Dolly" Reynolds car ried her jewel bag, he said: "Around her

gress.

The convention is being entertained by the local Mothers' Club and the several reading clubs of the city. The sessions are open to the public and the assembly-room of the Normal was filled to-night.

"No; from New York."
"Was that usual?"
"I wanted to account for absence Mon-

Sister of "Dolly" Revnolds Fought

Doctor Kennedy is on trial, listened, bowed with sorrow to-day, in Morrisania Court, to the story told by the pet of his Mount Vernon home, Dolly's sister, Minnie, II years old. William Burkhardt, Jr., was held in \$2,500 beal by Magistrate Mayo for examination May 22.

According to Minnie she went yesterday evening, with three younger girls, to pick flowers at Edenwold in the Bronx. Burkhardt came upon them as they romped, said Minnie, and attacked her. She fought him desperately and screamed to her companions running away, calling for help.

Clapping his hand over her mouth to stifle her cries, Minnie said, her assailant had almost overcome her, when she wrenched herself loose. He again attacked her and she beat him off. The gir's cries were heard by Thomas Mullin, who lives near, and he rushed to the spot. Burkhardt is 17 years old.

MISSOURI FARMER IN TROUBLE.

000 by Blackmail.

WITNESSES TO THE SHOOTING. Case Is Corroborative.

people there isn't a medicine its equal in the whole world. J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mast.

curdling, until it is smooth. Do not beat or strain a flour sauce if you can avoid it, as it makes it pasty.

If an uncooked sauce curdles on adding vinegar or acid, chill it thoroughly and then beat it smooth.

ounced Thursday:
Illinois-Normal, \$1,900 to \$2,000; Newton, \$1,500 o \$1,600; Oakland, \$1,500 to \$1,400; Odell, \$1,300 to \$1,600; Oakland, \$1,500 to \$1,400; Pedal, \$1,300 to \$1,400; Perotone, \$1,000 to \$1,100; Pinckneyville \$1,-00 to \$1,500; Piper City, \$1,200 to \$1,300; Plano, \$1,500; Piper City, \$1,200 to \$1,300; Plano, \$1,500; Piper City, \$1,200 to \$1,500; Piper City, \$1,200 to \$1,500; Piper City, \$1,500 to \$1,500; Piper City, \$1,500 to \$1,500; Piper City, \$1,

Rock Falls, \$1,000 to \$1,500; Hockford, \$2,300 to \$3,300.

Mississippi—Bay St. Louis, \$1,400 to \$1,500; Bi-loxi, \$1,500 to \$2,000; Clarisdale, \$1,700 to \$1,500; Corinth, \$1,900 to \$2,000; Crystal Springs, \$1,500 to \$1,500; Corinth, \$1,900 to \$1,200; Crystal Springs, \$1,500 to \$1,600; Ash Grove, \$1,200 to \$1,300; Bollvar, \$1,500 to \$1,500; Bonville, \$1,900 to \$1,500; Carenon, \$1,500 to \$1,500; Carenon, \$1,900 to \$1,500; Carenon, \$1,900 to \$1,500; Carenon, \$1,900 to \$1,000; Car

BREAKFAST. Fruit, real, Cream, REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Charleston, Ill., May 16.—Upon evidence furnished by Fish Warden Sikes to-day five arrests were made for illegal fishing. The parties are charged with seining. German Fried Potal
Buttered Toast, Coffee,
LUNCH.
Sweetbread Mayonnaise,
Cream Biscuit, Cucumbers,
Baked Custards, Tea REPUBLIC SPECIAL
Fort Smith, Ark., May 18.—John G. Ellig, one of the oldest settlers here, died this morning at the age of 77 years.

Thursday

BREARS AND Fruit,
Cereal, Cream,
Corn Orsters, Bacon,
Potatoes Hashed in Cream,
Cream Muffins, Coffee,
LUNCH,
Deviled Crabs, Lettuce Salad,
Cream Puffs, Cocoa,
DINNER,
Mutton Broth with Barley,
Egg Vermicelli, Asparagus on Toast
Shrimp Salad,
Lemon Snow, Vanilla Sauce,
Coffee, BREAKFAST.

Rathbone Sisters' Convention.

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REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Mattoon, Ill., May 16.—The annual convention of the Ninth District of the Rathbone Sisters, an auxiliary lodge to the Knights of Pythias, was concluded in this city last evening. Visiting delegations from Decatur. Sullivan, Casey, Effingham, Westfield and Toledo were present. A school of instruction was held in the afternoon, conducted by Mrs. S. Emma King of Decatur. grand chief of Illinois, and Miss Mertie Barrow of Effingham, grand guard of the outer temple. Exemplification of the work on actual candidates and a banquet constituted the evening's programme.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Elsberry, Mo., May 16.—Two weeks ago Miss Nita Balley of this place missed three diamond, two opal and one plain gold rings, and supposed that they had been stolen. In cleaning the ashee from a stove to-day the rings were found. The diamonds were not injured.